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Applicant: Leonard Forbes et al.

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In response to the Office Action dated 31 July 2003 and in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated 14 July 2004, a complete amendment to the claims section is provided herein. Applicant requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following.